

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: F. Tischler
TAKASHI KENMOKU ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 1796
Application No.: 10/567,762)	
	:	Confirmation No. 4656
Int'l Application No. PCT/JP2005/010998)	
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Filed: June 9, 2005)	
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For: POLYHYDROXYALKANOATE)	
HAVING VINYL GROUP, ESTER	:	
GROUP, CARBOXYL GROUP)	
AND SULFONIC ACID GROUP,	:	
AND PRODUCTION METHOD)	
THEREOF	:	October 29, 2008

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STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Sir:

This Statement is filed to summarize a telephonic interview conducted between the Examiner and Applicants' representative on or about September 26, 2008.

On or about September 26, 2008, the Examiner contacted Applicants' undersigned attorney and requested permission to cancel non-elected claims 3, 4, and 6-9 via an Examiner's Amendment. Applicants' attorney authorized the Examiner to cancel the non-elected claims, provided these claims could not be rejoined.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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